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Local and Personal

Bread tickets at Kelley's, Six for 25c. Thaddeus Joy of San Francisco spent the week-end with his mother and relatives.

Miss Muriel Palmer is confined to her home this week with an attack of bronchitis.

Clinton Crow who was operated on for appendicitis recently returned home last week.

Mrs. Arthur Robinson is at home again after receiving treatment at the Sanitarium.

Mrs. Roy Alison and daughter are spending the week at Santa Cruz and enjoying the salt air.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Sadler and children of Berkeley have come to spend their vacation in grandma Sadler's cottage.

Mrs. Claude Gard returned Wednesday from the hospital where she underwent an operation a short time ago.

Lucy Joy, a nurse at the Children's Hospital in San Francisco, is spending her vacation here with her mother.

Miss Esther Sadler is here from Berkeley visiting with her aunt, Mrs. S. G. Nelson and grandmother, Mrs. Sadler.

Miss Iris Seroy from Hotel de Redwood arrived the first of the week for a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. Poor.

The Junior reception to the Seniors will be given Friday evening, June 14th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ainsley.

Don't miss the "Old Maids" this evening. They are looking for men, and want real live ones at the Coffee Club tonight.

The Alumni of the Campbell Union High School will give its annual reception at Congress Springs Saturday evening.

W. S. Gale recently returned to San Jose after a pleasant stay of several weeks at Oceano, and has again joined the Press force.

The girls of the Sophomore Class drove to Alum Rock for a picnic Saturday. Miss Sykes and Prof. Snow chaperoned the party.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Coffee Club on Wednesday, June 12th at 2:30. A full attendance is requested.

The Sierra & San Francisco Co. is busy erecting new poles for the power line and before long will be supplying the juice to all parts of this valley.

Miss Chamberlin's art class at the Union High School have issued invitations to an exhibit which is being given this afternoon at the school building.

About twenty-five of the Grange society drove out to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wiesendanger Tuesday evening for supper and a pleasant social time.

The Grammar School will complete the year's work Friday, June 14th. There will be no commencement exercises this year. The High School term will close June 20th.

The Sunday Schools of Los Gatos have a union picnic at the Santa Cruz beach tomorrow. Mrs. Merrill and Mrs. W. T. Alexander will go on the excursion to visit friends at the coast.

The Home and School Club will meet Monday, p. m., June 10, at the Campbell Grammar School. Election of officers and refreshments will be the order of the day. All members are requested to attend.

A new cooker has been installed in the Ainsley Cannery with a daily capacity of 24,000 cans. The output of the plant will be greatly increased and its facility for handling the fruit crop at the height of the season much improved.

Rev. Atkinson and daughter, Calista, left Monday for Capitola to visit relatives. Before returning, Mr. Atkinson attended the conference of the ministers of Northern and Central California which met at Mt. Hermon this week.

Los Gatos will celebrate her first annual Flag Day fete, Friday, June 14. A most interesting program has been arranged and a cordial invitation is extended to all. Patriotism and love for the flag will be the theme of the day.

Word was received here this week that Mr. F. W. Smith who recently went to England for a visit, has undergone an operation for appendicitis. Mr. J. C. Ainsley received a cablegram Wednesday stating that Mr. Smith is much better.

Prof. C. E. Rugh of the University of California will speak at the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. His subject will be "Moral Training in the Public Schools". Prof. Rugh's lecture will be a rare treat and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Headache?

Take Bromo-Seltzer. A piece of sheet music with each 25c bottle. Campbell Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Thomas left Monday for a two week's vacation at Bartlett Springs, in Lake County. They went by rail to Williams and on a 48 mile stage trip to the Springs. The trip was taken for the benefit of Mr. Thomas' health, the water being the chief attraction.

J. C. Gordon returned from his vacation at Mt. Hermon, Saturday. Mr. Gordon has been employed by C. H. Whitman at the hardware store for the past year, but has severed his connections with Mr. Whitman and began work for the Campbell Realty Co. Monday.

Mr. Gordon is an industrious and earnest worker and will certainly make good with his new employer.

Roy Sawyer of Oakland, accompanied by his friend, Henry Beakley, bookkeeper for the Wells and Fargo Bank, were over-Sunday guests of Mr. Sawyer's parents in Campbell. Mr. Sawyer has sold his real estate business in Oakland and has entered the employ of the Western Pipe & Steel Co. of San Francisco.

For the present he will be located at Richmond but expects to be transferred to Los Angeles shortly.

Congregational Church

The theme for morning service will be "Through Ancient Rome on a Dark Night."

A 5 minute talk to the boys and girls on "A Golden Autograph" Junior C. E. at 3 P. M.

In the evening a union meeting of the young people's societies. Subject, Christian Education, leader, Miss Mary Lewis.

Following the young people's meeting Rev. Wilson will deliver the sermon at a union meeting of the churches.

MINNESOTA PICNIC

The Santa Clara County Minnesota Association executive committee met in Campbell at the home of Miss Lewis, Secretary, Tuesday afternoon.

The date set for the annual picnic of the Gophers is Thursday, June 20, at Congress Springs and all former Minnesota residents are cordially invited to attend.

G. A. Good, vice president, will have charge of the grounds and Messrs. F. Savage and Capt. B. P. Shuler the program. Miss Lewis will look after the badges.

FOREST SERVICE

The Forest Service is raising several acres of Bigtree seedlings on the Tahoe National Forest in California, at a more northerly point than any natural Bigtree grove.

While the giant sequoias are found in the forests of the Sierras at various points throughout a total range of some 250 miles, in the northern two-thirds of this range there is practically no natural reproduction. It has consequently been a question whether the species would not practically disappear from this region when the present nature trees die.

The most northern existing grove of Bigtrees is on the Tahoe Forest, but about 34 miles southeast of the site selected for planting. This site is on a moist flat not far from Nevada City, and is about 2,700 feet above sea level.

The first seeding was done in the fall of 1910, with very successful results, and last fall an additional area was seeded.

The method used in planting the seed was that known to foresters as "the seed spot method". Spots about 6 feet apart each way were prepared by pulverizing the earth with a garden hoe.

Seeds were then dropped on these spots and lightly pressed in the soil with the foot. The flourishing condition of the young seedlings gives good reason to expect a future growth of Bigtrees at this point.

With protection of forests from fire there seems to be no reason why the Bigtrees should disappear, even though scientists regard them as survivors from a past age, botanically speaking.

A Tribute to the Horse

By HUGO KRAUSE

If one animal, more than any other has contributed to the welfare and happiness of mankind, it has been the horse. Forced into captivity, domesticated, and interbred, until he reveals the highest qualities of brute intelligence and beauty of form, he has been man's patient and faithful burden-bearer as well as his silent companion of the centuries.

He has shared with man the hardships of exploration, the ages of chivalry, the struggle for democratic freedom, and the advance of commercial supremacy. In literature, in art, in song, in war, as well as in peace, he has stood by his master's side in the glorious descriptions of human achievement.

The history of the horse is in a large measure the history of the human race. He stands today as the highest embodiment of physical perfection, the most delicately constructed dynamo, the most beautiful animal creation that the ingenuity of man has been able to evolve by artificial means.

And what an object of emulation he is to man himself for the scientific breeding of the human race; what a beautiful example of the power of labor and love if it could be assumed by man as a voluntary rather than an involuntary servitude.

As we look upon this noble friend of man, who is so often subjected to the neglect and cruelty of commercial greed and abject slavery, let us not forget that, though he may be owned individually, he is ours by race inheritance, ours to use, ours to enjoy, ours to protect, and that we owe it to him as well as to ourselves to demand for him justice and fair play.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL BOARD

The Grammar School Board met Tuesday and elected teachers for the following year. The Board, where it has seen fit to make a change, has elected teachers who will reside at Campbell.

The patrons of the schools have always wished for this arrangement but it has not seemed advisable to adopt that rule before but the Board will be heartily supported at this time for their stand.

Those re-elected have given satisfaction and will continue to live at their respective homes. The new corps of teachers is as follows:

Prof. Graves, Principal; Miss Margaret Vineyard, 7th Grade and Manual Training; Miss Minnie Atkinson, 5th and 6th Grades; Miss Ernestine Kennedy, 3rd and 4th Grades; Miss Margaret Shillingsburg, 1st and 2nd Grades.

ELECTION DAY

Today is election day in this district to determine whether the sale of liquor shall be licensed or not. The dry element feel very confident of Campbell precinct, but the contest for the district will probably be close as some precincts are decidedly wet.

However the prohibitionists have been working hard and are hopeful of the result.

What the Chained Dog Says

After awhile they chained me up. Then I howled and tried to get away, but they only put on a stronger chain because I did break away one day.

You think it is hard to be kept in the house, or to be kept after school. How would you feel if you were tied with a chain as I am? How would you like it after one hour, two hours, a day? I think your legs would ache and prick as mine do, and you would get so restless that you would scream and cry.

At first I just howled because I was so unhappy. Afterwards I howled for many reasons. I was lonesome. I wasn't so well as usual. I was very, very thirsty. I kept hoping my cries would bring somebody to help me.

Sometimes they would take me for a walk, but it was never long enough, and I needed more exercise to be well.

But the thirst was as bad as the chain. The constant thirst which comes from barking and fretting is so great, that these careless folks would be well nigh crazy if they had to suffer it themselves.

I never felt really well or happy, and so do you wonder that after awhile I grew cross?

HUMANE PRESS BUREAU.

The Poll Tax Scare

There is a cry going up all over the state about the dire results that would accompany the abolition of the poll tax, and it is announced in great alarm that \$800,000 would be voted away from the schools and that teachers would suffer immediately an average loss of \$80 per annum in their salaries in addition to other losses the institutions of the state would suffer.

Nothing could be further from the truth. The schools will lose not one cent and the teachers will suffer no form of loss whatever.

The abolition of the poll tax simply means that the poor man be relieved of paying the corporation burden, and that a square deal be given every man in the state in the matter of bearing his just apportionment of the taxes levied.

Teachers are needlessly alarmed if they have been frightened by the defenders of the present abominable tax. The state is receiving more revenue today than it ever did in its existence, and the surplus received from the corporations of the state exceed by more than \$500,000 a year what the state will lose, with every taxpayer and male resident in the state saving the \$2 he now permits the state to fleece him of.

A few politicians who fear to offend the organized school teachers are clamoring loudly about the fate of the schools and some others, fearful lest the corporations be burdened financially, are defending the old system. The poll tax is unjust and unfair. It is exacted in but a few states in the union. It is a relic of bygone days in the state finance methods and is inexcusable.—Stockton Independent.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hazle of Deerfield, Kan., old time friends of Mrs. Sykes and her daughter, who are touring the state for Mr. Hazle's health have taken a room at Mrs. Gilman's for a few weeks.

Sooner or later the chicken thief gets his due, but that does not recompense for the loss of his stock; therefore, in building chicken houses, care should be exercised in their location and construction to prevent loss through thieves.

Put the windows in the poultry house low down to the floor, so that the hens will get the benefit of the light and sunshine when scratching for their feed.

The trouble with windows set high up, is that they let the sunshine in on the perches when the hens are on the floor scratching, and when they are on the roost the sun doesn't shine; so there is no equilibrium in such plans.

After the unusually hot weather which this section of the state experienced, the return to Santa Clara Co's normal summer temperature is a delightful relief, and this valley was not nearly so hot as some of the interior ones, who enjoy (?) that type of climate, quite often. This is deservedly advertised as the ideal spot.

The conversation carried on was all local hits and each new subject created much mirth. Two recitations and a number of songs added materially to the program.

Another part of the evening's entertainment which met with hearty applause was the music furnished by Raymond Menhennick, a boy violinist of San Jose. He responded to several encores and quite delighted his audience.

The proceeds of the evening were for the benefit of the parsonage fund.

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HARRY C. SMITH
Campbell - - - California

LIKE OLD WILD WEST

CRIMINALS HAVE PEOPLE IN A STATE OF CONSTERNATION.

Sale of Pistols and Other Arms Increased Fifteenfold Since Late-A Well-Known Author Gives Advice Against Bandits.

Paris.—The sale of pistols in Paris has increased fifteenfold since the latest exploits of the ruthless automobile bandits. This fact, ascertained by your correspondent, is only one phase of the excitement which is sweeping over the nation as the result of a series of daring crimes in which bandits have shot down all comers at sight.

Many are urging the adoption of the long-delayed law regulating the carrying of weapons; others argue that since criminals are still able to arm themselves, buying guns in Belgium is necessary. It is incumbent upon all citizens to be alert and armed for self-defense. This thought prevails widely, hence there are probably more armed men in France today than in any other civilized country. The idea of carrying a revolver appeals to the Latin imagination and the Chamber of Deputies is likely to debate long before passing a law making it difficult for citizens to protect themselves by carrying firearms.

The newspapers devote whole pages daily to the alleged movements of the phantom bandits, and cinematograph shows are advertising pictures of the automobile crimes. Men, women and children are talking on the subject, and mothers are hushing their babies by terrifying them with the names of Bonnot, Garnier and Carrouy. Some writers compare life in Paris to life in California in the days described by Bret Harte, while others assume that it is like life in the United States today, as almost the only news transmitted from America to Paris concerns lynching and train robberies.

Jean Renaud, author and a member of the Paris police, offers the public advice as to how to evade the attacks of the murderous robbers known here by the name of "Apaches."

"Do not allow yourself to be approached on any pretext," he writes "Beware of the well-dressed individual who advances with exquisite politeness, hat in hand, to ask for information, for suddenly, without waiting for an answer, he will strike you a violent blow in the face with the hat and trip you as his accomplices spring forward. Never approach curiously a group surrounding a man supposed to be injured, nor individuals who appear to be fighting, nor those feigning to send in a fire alarm. An excellent defense consists in taking flight. If you are a good runner do not hesitate. Do not pride yourself on a heroism which under such circumstances is ridiculous."

CAT TESTS COINS AND RINGS

Theosophist Holds That "Tabby" May Possibly Represent the Reincarnation of a Miser.

Jersey City, N. J.—A cat which bites coins and rings them on a counter to test them is the property of Steven Oliver and his wife Mary, who keeps a small fruit stand at the intersection of Newark avenue and Montgomery street, was studied the other day by a theosophist who holds that "Tabby" may possibly represent the reincarnation of a miser.

For some time after Tabby came to take up her abode with the Olivers, it was noticed that frequently when a customer left a coin on the counter for a few seconds it mysteriously disappeared. The Olivers finally saw the cat in the act of stealing to a corner with a dime and depositing the coin in a hole. Mrs. Oliver discovered 38 pieces of money—dimes, nickels and pennies—where Tabby had placed them.

The Olivers at once set about to develop her remarkable traits, finally placing her in charge of the cashier's desk.

When a customer enters the shop now the cat pounces forward and the moment that he lays a piece of money on the counter she eagerly picks it up in her mouth and tests its worth by the old-fashioned method of biting. She will then drop it on the counter to see if it rings true.

If any one doubts her ability to test a coin let him give her a bad piece. She will throw it on the counter and back away, refusing to touch it. But if the ring of the piece of money satisfies her she takes it in her mouth, leaps over to her little box in the corner, where she drops it, and sits on guard until another customer appears.

Of late she has taken to receiving paper money when it is offered, although at first she paid no attention to this form of exchange. It is not thought that Tabby can yet discriminate between a bad and a good bill. Neither has she learned to make change.

Some Record!

Uniontown, Pa.—Ninety years old married 53 years, member of the Odd Fellows for 53 years and of the Methodist church for 75 years and a justice of the peace for 25 years—this is the record of George W. Cameron, of Bethelboro.

THE SCRAP BOOK



SOLEMN RITE OF SHAWNEES

'Adoption Dance' Taken Very Seriously, and the Best of Order Always Maintained.

A dance which lasts all day and all night, the performers eating nothing during that period, is known as the "Adoption Dance," among the Shawnees. This is quite different from any one of the festive dances. The Indians come from many miles around and camp; their faces are painted and their persons decorated with beads. A bonfire is built in the center of the camp and they dance around this. The fire is kept burning uniformly all the time. This serves also as their light. The adoption dance is rather quiet, more so than the other dances. The women do most of the singing, and in a very low tone. They dance around the circle in twos. The men dance together in front, and the women together in the rear. The two leaders in front are usually the ones who are adopting the child. They carry tin pails; in these are rubber balls, which bounce and keep time with the drum. This is all the music they have to dance by. If a large crowd is assembled they may have two or three drums. At these dances good order is kept. No drunkenness is allowed. The dance is in a grove, and if anyone does not behave decently they tie him to a tree for the rest of the dance. After the performance they hold a great feast which lasts all day.

Lenten Masks.

The mask makers of Paris are now working at high pressure in view of the Lenten Carnival. Many celebrate artists at one time or another have been glad to design masks "to make ooth ends meet." The design for masks is said to be a less easy matter than would be supposed, and some of these caricatures, especially those representing political celebrities, are works of art. There are in the French capital 17 houses, engaged from January to December—with no dead season—in the preparation of masks. The personnel, men, women and children, is numerous, and their earnings fair. Their occupation is one of the very few which have never known a strike. Of course, the demands of the Lenten Carnival do not require the whole output of these factories. The world's supply of masks may be said to be drawn from them.

We Are a Nation of Frog-Eaters.

Frogs' legs, at which people turned up their noses in disgust only a few years ago have now become so popular an article of diet that no fewer than 6,000, 000 frogs a year are killed in Minnesota alone to supply the demand. The North western frogs are the most delicate but the biggest are the southern bull frogs. The latter are not so sweet or tender as the former.

Frogs are caught at all times of the year, but the greatest catches are in the spring and fall; in the winter frog catching is difficult, because ice, often two feet thick, must be cut through in order to reach their nests.

Biologist Says Fishes Remember.

The fact that fishes will return time after time to bite at the hook by which they have been caught is often cited as proof that fish have no memories. But Yves Delage, the great French biologist, has been making some experiments which seem to prove the contrary. He says that fish return to the hook because their greediness is greater than the influence of their memory. If you place a bright red disk upon a hook the fishes will cease to take it after being caught seven or times. If you change the color of the disk the fish will return indefinitely. The red disk made an impression on the fish's memory—slowly, it is true—and when it recognized the danger signal it avoided it.

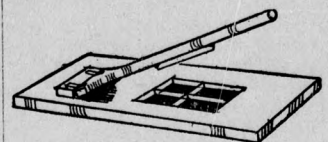
The First Postage Stamp.

A French antiquary is trying to rot England of one of its glories by the announcement of a discovery that postage stamps were a French invention of the seventeenth century. He quotes the following notice, which was posted on the walls of Paris in 1653: "Persons who wish to send messages from one quarter of Paris to another may rest assured that their letters will be safely and speedily delivered if they are careful to affix to them tickets inscribed 'carriage paid.'" Such tickets, it was added, might be procured at a charge of one sou each at the Law Courts or from the doorkeepers of Colleges and Brotherhoods. It was also possible to prepay a reply by affixing two tickets instead of one.

GROWING AND CULTIVATING POTATO CROP IS PROFITABLE

Sandy Loam Soil Usually Produces Tubers of Better Quality Than Heavy Land—Good Drainage Is Another Essential—Machinery Saves Much Time and Great Amount of Labor.

A sandy loam soil usually produces potatoes of better quality than a heavier soil does. It also has the advantage of remaining in a more mellow condition during the growing season, thus giving the tubers a chance to become more shapely, and making it easier to dig the crop. A heavier soil will sometimes produce a larger yield



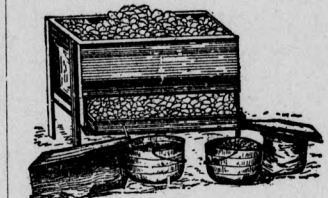
Seed Potato Cutter.

because it is often more fertile, but brown rot of the tubers is apt to be worse on such soils.

Soil which has produced a scabby crop of potatoes should be avoided, because the scab spores live over in the soil and will cause more or less scab on the tubers for five or six years afterward.

Potatoes grow well on any slope, but a northern slope is most desirable, because on it the crop will suffer less during hot dry weather.

Good drainage is important. Potatoes will stand less excess of moisture than other common farm crops, and artificial drainage should be provided wherever natural drainage is at all deficient. Potatoes rot more in low, wet land than in well drained upland in years when rot occurs. The same is true of heavy soils compared with

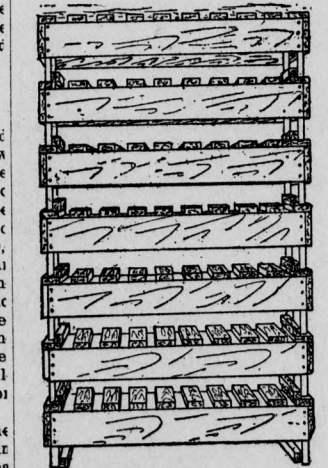


A Convenient Potato Hopper With Boards and Knives Fastened to Them for Cutting Seed Potatoes.

light soils, which is because heavy soils do not part with their excess moisture as rapidly as light soils do.

No best time for planting can be given that will fit every year. If a dry spell occurs early in the season, and is followed by plenty of rain, late planted potatoes yield the best, while on the other hand, when a dry spell occurs in the latter half of the growing season, early planted potatoes do best.

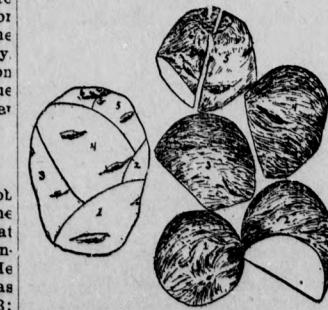
A number of machines for cutting seed are available on the market. One



Racks Showing How Seed Potatoes May Be Stored in a Small Space.

trouble with most of them is that they leave pieces without eyes.

A rapid method of cutting seed potatoes by hand is to stick a sharp knife firmly into a board and cut the tubers by pushing them against the knife. This enables the use of both hands on the tubers. When using the knife in the hand for cutting seed potatoes, the best method of cutting is to begin at the stem end of the tuber and cut pieces off diagonally, turning the tuber on its axis as necessary with the cutting of each piece as the



Potato Marked to Show How It Should Be Cut by Hand, and the Individual Pieces of Another Tuber Cut in Same Manner.

work progresses toward the other end, and when the seed end is reached cut it in two, so as to divide the extra number of eyes there found.

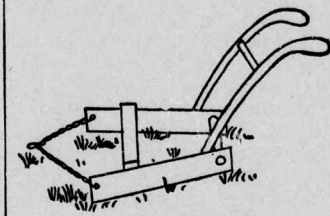
In planting potatoes in large quantities a tremendous amount of time and hard work can be saved by the

use of a machine. It plants the potatoes at a uniform depth and covers them evenly, thus insuring a better stand. Large numbers of these machines are now in use, and as they are made of various sizes, the cost is within the reach of the average farmer. A handy implement for covering the potatoes may be made of inch boards eight inches wide and 2½ feet long. It has a cross-bar of 2x4x2 feet long at the front end and one foot at the rear. A small chain is attached to the front of the runners for drawing with a horse. Old plow handles guide it. So simple an implement can be made by even an inexperienced hand.

Eleven bushels is a more profitable quantity of seed potatoes to use per acre than five or eight bushels.

Potatoes affected with brown rot should not be used for planting.

Potato growers should follow a system of rotation in which the potatoes



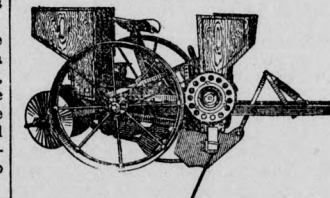
A Potato Coverer.

follow clover. They should also pay more attention to potato culture in all its stages.

Potato growers can improve their "seed" stock by proper selection of potatoes for planting.

The most practical insecticide for the potato beetle is Paris green. It should be used at the rate of not less than one pound per acre for each application.

Most farmers do not cultivate their potatoes the most profitable number of times. It must be remembered that the potato crop suffers readily from drought, and that frequent cultivation is practically the only means by which the moisture can be conserved. Frequent cultivation also sets free



A Potato Planter.

much plant food that would otherwise remain locked up in the soil. Potatoes should be cultivated once a week from the time the rows can be followed until the cultivator wheels injure the plants.

CHOLERA AMONG FARM POULTRY

Ailing Birds Should Be Destroyed or Separated to Prevent Distribution of the Germs.

(By B. F. KAUPP, Pathologist Colorado Agricultural College.)

The symptoms usually noted are as follows: The bird begins to mope, remains on the roost with feathers ruffled, head down and wings more or less drooping; the bird presents a "ball" appearance. The bird is weak, and diarrhea is present. The discharge is of a greenish-yellow color. The bird usually lives from three days to a week.

We have studied this disease and conducted experiments with it in chickens, turkeys and ducks.

When the abdominal cavity is opened, the liver will be noted to be much larger than normal, and darker. The spleen may be enlarged. The intestines are congested and may appear inflamed.

As to treatment: The henhouse and yards should be cleaned thoroughly. The house and, so far as possible, the yard, should be sprayed once a day with a five per cent. solution of carbolic acid, zincoleum or creolin. Birds should be watered from drinking fountains. These should be cleaned and disinfected once a day, using disinfecting solution same strength as for house and yards. The feed should be given in troughs which are so constructed as not to allow stepping into them. These should be cleaned and disinfected once or twice a day. As the germs escape from the sick birds from the discharge, the birds, as soon as noticed to be ailing, should be destroyed and burned, or at least separated so as to prevent further distribution of the germs.

As treatment sulphocarbonate tablets containing the subphosphate of calcium, sodium and zinc, have given us the best results in our experimental work. Vaccination has also been successfully carried on.

Feeding Fowls.

Give the fowls a basketful of that chaff from the bottom of the haymow. They will enjoy looking it over, and to your profit.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Cat Warns Man of Burglar's Presence



WASHINGTON.—A remarkable tom-cat belonging to Joseph Brown, proprietor of a small merchandise store, routed a burglar from the place early one morning recently after a novel performance which proves the cat to be possessed of more than ordinary feline intelligence. The robber carried away about \$15 worth of goods, but the proprietor considers himself fortunate, at that, and gives all the credit to "Tom."

Mr. Brown, his wife and several children live in the adjoining dwelling. They retired before midnight, and about half-past three the next morning, when all the occupants were asleep, somebody cut several slats out of a shutter at the rear of the house and climbed through the window. The cat was downstairs and heard the noise. It made several trips upstairs, mewing and scratching at its master's bedspread until it awakened him. Mr. Brown hesitated for a while, but finally descended the stairs with a loaded revolver, but the robber had fled through a side door opening on V street.

"The cat jumped up on my bed and awoke me," said Mr. Brown. "It mewed and scratched, but at first I paid little attention to it and dozed off again. The cat had gone downstairs, but soon came back and sprang on the bed again and went on terribly. Still I did not realize what had occurred. Tom made another trip downstairs, and came running right back, making more 'fuss' than before, and I then 'tumbled'."

"I told my wife there must be somebody in the house. I sat up and listened. I thought I heard a footstep downstairs, and got out of bed. The house was dark throughout, and I hesitated to go downstairs under the circumstances. In a few minutes, however, I got out my pistol and made a light in my room. Then I went downstairs and struck a light in the store. There was nobody there. From there I went back to the dining room, and found a window and door open. But nobody was in sight. 'Tom' accompanied me through the place."

A lot of aprons, handkerchiefs and stockings were missed by Mrs. Brown. While he was searching downstairs, Mrs. Clara Brown, his wife, blew a shrill whistle at an upper window to attract a policeman, and aroused the neighborhood. An officer came along about 3:45 o'clock, according to Mr. Brown. The police have no clew to the identity of the robber.

How Governor Hogg was Once Tricked

"IT was very seldom that any political opponent of the late Gov. Jim Hogg, the far-famed Texas statesman, ever took a trick from that wily gentleman, and yet I remember an occasion where a slick Republican bested him," said Capt. George D. Canby of Galveston the other day.

"They were having a joint debate, and Hogg was denouncing the Republicans for their policy of absorbing the Philippines. He poured in the hot shot, and the long-haired Texans gave vent to their approval by shrieks and vociferous yells. He said he knew his honorable opponent would attempt to defend his party when it came his turn to speak. The audience was then and there warned that his opponent was entirely ignorant of the subject—so ignorant that he could name ten out of the thousand or more islands constituting the Philippine archipelago. Hogg repeated the assertion and challenged his opponent to give the names of any ten of the whole group.

"All this time the Republican had been doing some quick thinking. He did not, as a matter of fact, know the name of a single island in the Philippines, except, perhaps, Luzon, but he was also satisfied that Jim Hogg was no whit better informed. At that time the conquest of the Philippines was new and hardly anybody was enlight-



ened regarding them. Thinking this over, our Republican orator had an inspiration. He didn't know the names, but neither did his challenger, and therefore, a bluff might go. The names of the islands were unquestionably Spanish. What was to hinder him from enumerating the names of certain brands of imported cigars that came ready to memory?"

Thus it was that when his turn came to speak he met the deft of his foe with absolute serenity. Governor Hogg was the most astonished man in the big audience, while he listened to the other man rattle off, not ten, but twenty, fine-sounding Spanish words which were given as names of islands, but were in reality only brands of cigars. Being a fair and honest citizen, when the speaker finished, the governor arose, and, making a courtly bow, apologized for his mistake. 'I am sorry to have misrepresented my friend,' said Hogg. 'He has far more knowledge of the Philippines than I supposed, and I ask his pardon.'"

Starving Natives of Kiangsu Eat Bark



2,700 families, aggregating 14,000 individuals, so that the population is over 500 to the square mile. This sample famine district contains about one-half of one per cent. of the total area and population now famine stricken in China.

"The method followed was to assemble the family and count and question them, and then thoroughly to examine every part of the house, looking into the cooking vessels on the stove to see what was in preparation, and then using an electric flashlight to go through all baskets, jars and boxes where food was likely to be kept. These were all country people, who seldom have money on hand, so the supply of food actually on the premises is a good indication of their condition.

"A straw stack indicates that there has been a crop. I found straw in four yards—one in thirteen. Grain was found in only seven houses out of fifty-five, and in no place over a peck of it.

About one out of every three were eating elm bark, which they prepare by reducing it to a fine sawdust and then making it into cakes.

Society Girls in "First Aid" Work

AFTER a rest during Lent, and participation in the Easter season following, many of Washington's society young women have taken up "first aid" work.

Miss Helen Taft, who is practical above all things else, has joined a class of "first aid" recently organized as a sort of branch of the National Red Cross, the purpose of which is to teach these young persons emergency tactics. In fact, there are two classes, one of which meets on Tuesdays in the Armory dispensary and another on Wednesdays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas T. Gaff. Maj. Matthew A. Dulaney, U. S. A. medical corps, Mrs. Taft's physician, is instructing the Tuesday class, and Dr. Jung has the Wednesday meetings in hand.

Many of the girls have become deeply interested in Red Cross work, particularly the emergency field, and some have gone so far as to pledge their services as nurses should they be



needed. Miss Laura Merriam has told her friends that if a war in which the United States is involved breaks out anywhere she will give up all the pleasures of social life and go to the front. Miss Merriam is among the most enthusiastic members of the "first aid" classes. Others who are learning how to make bandages and adjust them according to rules of medical science include Miss Dorothy Williams, Miss Jeanette Allen, Miss Julia Heyl, Miss Marion Oliver, Miss Sallie Garlington, Miss Mary McCauley and a number of others who do not confine their entire activities to the ballroom and afternoon teas.

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SOCIETIES.

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L. D. Bohnett, Master.
James Fabinger, Secretary.

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J. H. GALLANT, Noble Grand.
C. Merrill, Secretary.

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Mrs. Edna Keesling, Worthy Secretary.

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHEENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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COUNTY Supervisor F. E. Mitchell, and Messrs. J. D. Farewell, Dr. Anthony, E. G. Angell and W. Drummond-Norie, of the Los Gatos Chamber of Commerce, went over a portion of the proposed route of the State Highway between Los Gatos and Cambrian, and interviewed the property owners with a view to obtaining the rights-of-way required by the State Highway Commissioners. The Commissioners require a 60-foot road, and as for a considerable portion of the proposed route the road does not much exceed 40 feet, the difference must be given by the property owners. With very few exceptions every one expressed a willingness to donate the necessary land. The other sections of the route will be gone over shortly, and it is hoped that when the canvassing is completed Mr. Mitchell can send in a report that there is absolute unanimity of opinion all along the line.—Los Gatos Mail.

THERE is a movement on foot over the state to adopt a county free library plan, many counties having already begun under the system. Probably no one public system outside the schools gives such a source of knowledge and enlightenment as the public library. Our present library has served the people well but is now far short of supplying the growing demand for good reading. Supervisor Roll is much in favor of the new plan and is ready to act as soon as he knows the wishes of the people of his district. It is up to the people to let their wishes be known, and the sooner something is done the sooner the library.

GOVERNOR Hiram W. Johnson will make the principal seconding speech for Theodore Roosevelt at the National Republican convention at Chicago. The Governor has received from Colonel Roosevelt a personal invitation to make the speech and has accepted the honor. Californians will note this recognition of their chief executive with pleasure, and they will also bear in their minds the certainty that the 15,000 people who assemble at the national convention will listen to an address worth hearing.—Cal. Outlook.

CAMPBELL, CAL., as well as England, expects every man to do his duty, and that as he sees it. In the upbuilding and improving of our town every man, woman and child can do his or her part and it is incumbent that each should aid in the work. It is not possible, nor should it be necessary to tell each individual what his particular duty is but let everyone exercise his own judgment in the matter.

THE hottest week for years has just passed and will long be remembered. The thermometer registered in the upper nineties in many places of the state and several prostrations have been reported. It is feared that some of the apricots and prunes have been injured by the heat. One great redeeming feature about this valley is the fact that no matter how hot the days, the nights grow cool enough for a good sleep.

IT takes all kinds of people to make a world is an old adage, and that Campbell is a little world in itself is evidenced by the list of names on the register. There are the Weeks, the Strongs, the Whites, the Blacks, Sweet and Sower, Rich and Poor, Young and Old, Smiths, Jones and Browns galore. If you don't happen to be in this list, you surely belong to the Wets or Dries.

"READING serves for delight, for ornament, for ability. The crafty condemn it; the simple admire it; the wise use it."—Bacon. Boost for the county library.

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Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an order of the above entitled Court, made, given and entered on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1912, in the matter of the estate of Annie M. Isaacs, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of the said estate, will sell, at private sale to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to confirmation by said Court, on or after the 17th day of June, 1912, all of the right, title, and interest and estate of said Annie M. Isaacs, deceased, at the time of her death, which was and is ownership in fee simple of the real property hereinafter described, and all of the right, title, and interest that the said estate has by operation of law, or otherwise, acquired in or to that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. Eight (8) in Block Six (6) in Dr. Devine's Survey No. 1, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, according to a map of said survey of record in Book "A" of Maps, at page 44, in the office of the County Recorder of said Santa Clara County.

The said real property will be sold on the following terms and conditions, to-wit: Cash in Gold Coin of the United States, ten (10%) per cent. of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale, the balance on confirmation of the sale.

Said sale to be made subject to the usual custom and course and practice in regard to sales and purchase of real estate as to abstract, payment of state and county taxes and assessments of whatever kind or nature, which are now or may hereafter become chargeable to or a lien against the property purchased by any such purchaser.

All bids or offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of L. D. Bohnett, attorney for said administrator, at 314 Bank of San Jose Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, or may be delivered to such administrator personally at his residence No.

San Jose, Santa Clara County, California, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

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